DRAFT ARIZONA CRISIS STANDARDS OF CARE – ACTIVATION PROCESS

Disaster occurs or escalates to crisis level

Conditions for Statewide CSC Include:

- Resources are unavailable/undeliverable to healthcare facilities
- Patient transfer not possible, at least in the short term
- Access to medical countermeasures is likely to be limited
- Supply caches have been distributed, no short term resupply
- Multiple healthcare access points are impacted

ADHS Director considers
Statewide CSC
Activation

Considerations for Statewide CSC Activation:

- The ADHS Director or Governor's Office initiates CSC activation
- Local Health Officer or healthcare coalition asks ADHS to activate CSC
- ADHS Director evaluates any local, state, federal disaster declarations that may be in place

1) ADHS organizes emergency conference call with "permanent" SDMAC members

2) Permanent SDMAC members identify required subject matter experts

4) SDMAC works with public information officers (JIC) to distribute messaging

5) SDMAC considers activation of RDMACs to support CSC at the local level

3) ADHS staff notifies other local, state, tribal, and federal partners

ADHS Authorizes CSC Activation



Development of CSC

Priorities and

Protocols

CSC Activation

SDMAC Activities

CSC Activation Steps

about forthcoming CSC

- 1) Develop priorities for allocation of medical resources
- 2) Develop EMS, triage, and clinical protocols (e.g. ventilator use)
- 3) Coordinate with RDMACs (if active) and EOCs as appropriate
- 3) Work with JIC/PIO staff to develop public messaging regarding CSC
- 4) Distribute priorities and protocols to healthcare facilities, providers, and EMS
- 5) Work with JIC/public information officers to ensure timely delivery of public messaging describing CSC implementation at healthcare facilities

Ongoing Response
Coordination



- 1) Evaluate the effectiveness of protocols and priorities and availability of resources throughout the response
- 2) Maintain regular communication with response partners (e.g. EOCs, RDMACs)
- 3) Identify threshold(s) for the suspension or rescinding of CSC and resumption of contingency or conventional care

Crisis Standards of Care Rescinded

SDMAC Activities

- 1) Work with response partners to monitor situation and identify appropriate time to return to contingency or conventional standards of care
- 2) Recommendation to ADHS Director to suspend or rescind CSC activation